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Notice of Opposition

Notice is hereby given that the following party opposes registration of the indicated application.

Opposer Information

| Name | IDOC Productions, Inc. |
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| Granted to Date of previous extension | 04/14/2010 |
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Applicant Information

| Application No | 77790645 | Publication date | 12/15/2009 |
|------------------------|--|---------------------------|------------|
| Opposition Filing Date | 04/14/2010 | Opposition Period Ends | 04/14/2010 |
| Applicant | Broadway Kids Care #603 321 W. 44th Street New York, NY 10036 UNITED STATES | | |

Goods/Services Affected by Opposition

Class 036.

All goods and services in the class are opposed, namely: Charitable fund raising

Grounds for Opposition

| Priority and likelihood of confusion | Trademark Act section 2(d) |
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Marks Cited by Opposer as Basis for Opposition

| U.S. Registration No. | 1957281 | Application Date | 09/06/1994 |
|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| Registration Date | 02/20/1996 | Foreign Priority Date | NONE |
| Word Mark | THE BROADWAY KIDS | | |
| Design Mark | | | |

| Description of Mark | NONE |
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| Goods/Services | Class 041. First use: First Use: 1993/09/00 First Use In Commerce: 1993/12/00 entertainment services, namely live performances by a musical group |

| U.S. Registration No. | 2661833 | Application Date | 02/21/2001 |
|------------------------|---|--------------------------|------------|
| Registration Date | 12/17/2002 | Foreign Priority Date | NONE |
| Word Mark | THE BROADWAY KIDS | | |
| Design Mark | THE BR | OADWAY | Y KIDS |
| Description of Mark | NONE | | |
| Goods/Services | Class 009. First use: First Use: 1993/09/01 First Use In Commerce: 1993/12/01 | | |
| | sound recordings,[prerecorde prerecorded video cassettes a performances | | |

| Related Proceedings | Opposition No. 91194526 |
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| Attachments | 76213094#TMSN.gif (1 page)(bytes) NOO - BWY KIDS CARE and Design.pdf (4 pages)(26933 bytes) |

Certificate of Service

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of this paper has been served upon all parties, at their address record by First Class Mail on this date.

| Signature | /James A. Trigg/ |
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| Name | James A. Trigg |
| Date | 04/14/2010 |

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| IDOC PRODUCTIONS, INC., |) |
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| Opposer, |) |
| v. |) Mark: B'WY KIDS CARE & Design |
| BROADWAY KIDS CARE, |) Serial No. 77/790,645 |
| Applicant. |) |

NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Opposer, IDOC Productions, Inc. ("IDOC" or "Opposer"), believes that it will be damaged by registration of the B'WY KIDS CARE & Design mark set forth in Application Serial No. 77/790,645, as published in the *Official Gazette* on December 15, 2009 (the "Application"). IDOC has timely filed extensions of time to oppose and now states the following grounds for its Opposition to the Application:

- 1. IDOC is the creator of The Broadway Kids, a children's musical group comprised of children with past Broadway or Off-Broadway experience who perform songs from various musicals, appear at special events (including charitable events), and record songs. Since introduction of The Broadway Kids more than fifteen years ago, the group has enjoyed great success in the entertainment field, including release of six albums grossing combined sales of \$4.25 million, staging an Off-Broadway show, and sales of music-related merchandise.
- 2. IDOC is the owner of all rights in the trademark THE BROADWAY KIDS, used throughout the United States in connection with live musical performances and music-related merchandise ("THE BROADWAY KIDS Mark"). IDOC has obtained two

registrations for THE BROADWAY KIDS Mark: (1) Registration No. 1,957,281 in connection with "entertainment services, namely live performances by a musical group" in International Class 41, claiming a date of first use of December 1993; and (2) Registration No. 2,661,833 in connection with "sound recordings, prerecorded compact discs, all featuring music and musical performances" in International Class 9, claiming a date of first use of December 1993. Both registrations for THE BROADWAY KIDS Mark are now incontestable.

- 3. By virtue of continuous and extensive use and advertising in connection with IDOC's goods and services for over fifteen years, THE BROADWAY KIDS Mark is widely and favorably known by the relevant public throughout the United States and is a symbol of the substantial goodwill and recognition established by IDOC for THE BROADWAY KIDS Mark.
- 4. Applicant Broadway Kids Care ("Applicant") seeks to register the B'WY KIDS CARE & Design mark shown in Application Serial No. 77/790,645, filed on July 27, 2009, in International Class 36 in connection with "charitable fund raising" ("Applicant's Mark"), in the format reproduced below:



5. IDOC has continuously used its THE BROADWAY KIDS Mark since prior to Applicant's application filing date.

Applicant's Mark is highly similar in sight, sound, appearance, and 6.

commercial impression to IDOC's THE BROADWAY KIDS Mark.

7. IDOC will be damaged by registration of Applicant's Mark because the mark

so resembles IDOC's THE BROADWAY KIDS Mark as to be likely to cause confusion,

mistake, and/or deception. Consumers familiar with IDOC's THE BROADWAY KIDS

Mark, and its products and services, would be likely, erroneously, to believe that Applicant's

services are the services of IDOC or are authorized, endorsed, sponsored, or licensed by

IDOC. Thus, registration of Applicant's Mark on the Principal Register would be

inconsistent with IDOC's rights in its THE BROADWAY KIDS Mark.

8. The required \$300.00 opposition fee is being electronically processed in

connection with this Notice of Opposition. The Director is authorized to debit

KILPATRICK STOCKTON LLP's Trademark Deposit Account No. 11-0860 for any

deficiency in the required fee.

WHEREFORE, IDOC requests that Application Serial No. 77/790,645 be refused in

its entirety and that no registration issue thereon to Applicant and, further, that this

Opposition be sustained in favor of IDOC.

This 14th day of April, 2010.

Respectfully submitted,

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| I hereby certify that a true and correct was served on Applicant on April 14, 2010 | et copy of the foregoing Notice of Opposition via first class mail addressed to: |
| Broadway Kids Care 321 West 44th Street, # 603 New York, NY 10036-5455 | |
| | /James A. Trigg/ Attorney for Opposer |
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| I hereby certify that a true and correct being filed electronically with the TTAB via | et copy of the foregoing Notice of Opposition is a ESTTA on this day, April 14, 2010. |
| | /James A. Trigg/ |
| | Attorney for Opposer |